HOUSING ASSISTANCE AND MINOR HOME REPAIR AND MODIFICATION APPLICATIONS

Residents can apply for housing assistance, minor home repairs and modifications. To apply for minor home repair, applicants must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- 62 years or older
- Have proof of ownership (copy of deed)
- · Current on utility bills
- · Reside in Fulton County
- No Reverse Mortgage
- Current on property taxes
- No lien on home
- Have homeowners insurance
- Reside in zip codes: 30310, 30311, 30314, 30315, 30316, 30318, and 30331
- Veterans must provide DD214 documentation











































HELPING FULTON COUNTY SENIORS IDENTIFY AND SECURE ESSENTIAL SERVICES

Beginning November 1, 2012, the Fulton County Housing and Human Services Office of Aging and Community Partners will kick off STARline in ACTION (Assisting Customers Through Information and Networking). ACTION will provide a one-stop shop to help Fulton County Senior Residents to apply for a variety of services.

Thursday, November 1, 2012 • 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Harriett G. Darnell Senior Multipurpose Facility

677 Fairburn Road Atlanta, GA 30331 Pre-Register in person or by phone 404-699-8580 October 26 - October 31

Monday, November 5, 2012 • 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Dorothy C. Benson Senior Multipurpose Complex**

6500 Vernon Woods Drive Sandy Springs, GA 30328 Pre-Register in person or by phone 404-705-4900 October 30 - November 2

Thursday, November 8, 2012 • 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. **Helene S. Mills Senior Multipurpose Facility**

515 John Wesley Dobbs Avenue Atlanta, GA 30312 Pre-Register in person or by phone 404-523-3353 November 2 - November 7

Tuesday, November 13, 2012 • 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. **HJC Bowden Senior Multipurpose Facility**

2885 Church Street East Point, GA 30344 Pre-Register in person or by phone 404-762-4821 November 7 - November 12

IMPORTANT

Some applications require you to bring in documentation. Please call or visit your selected site to make an appointment for one of the following services:

- **Medicare Part D**
- Home Repair
- **Food Stamps**
- **City of Atlanta** Water Bill Discounts

For more information regarding the ACTION program call the STARline (404) 613-6000

Seniors can apply for financial, legal, medical and transportation services as well as other assistance, which can include but is not limited to applications for:

UTILITY DISCOUNTS

Household information:

- Social Security cards for all household members
- Picture I.D. for the head of household Must be 60 years or older (initial sign-up)

Income information:

- Proof of income for the past 30 days for all household members who are 18 or older. Depending on your type of income, this may include:
- Pay stubs, copies of pension checks, copy of social security approval letter, copies of disability or SSI checks, unemployment or workers' compensation stubs, bank interest statements, copies of child support checks, income and expenses.

Utility information:

- Copy of current air/heating bill showing the name on the account, the account number, service address, rate, and amount
- Names of your electric, gas, and telephone companies and your account numbers

CITY OF ATLANTA 30% WATER DISCOUNT FOR SENIOR CITIZENS:

Applicant requirements include:

- Water bill must be in the name of person applying for discount
- 65 years or older
- Total household income must be \$25,000 or less per year
- Proof of income (most recent 1099 and/or 1040 forms)
- Proof of age (Georgia Driver's License, Birth Certificate, or State Identification of person whose name is on the bill)
- Warranty Deed (or most recent Fulton County Tax Bill), or Lease Agreement

MEDICARE SAVINGS PROGRAMS

To apply, residents must provide the following documents:

- · Social Security card
- · Medicare card
- Birth certificate, passport or green card
- Proof of address (i.e. electric or phone bill)
- Proof of income (i.e. Social Security Administration award letter, income tax return, pay stub)
- Information about assets, such as bank statements, stock certificates, life insurance policies, etc.

MEDICARE PART D COUNSELING

To obtain assistance, residents must bring the following items:

- Medicare Card
- Prescription Information
- List of Preferred Pharmacies

MEDICARE LOW INCOME SUBSIDY (LIS)

To apply for financial assistance, applicants must bring:

- Social Security Card
- Medicare Card
- Birth certificate, passport or green card
- Proof of address

 (i.e. electric or phone bill)
- Proof of income (i.e. Social Security Administration award letter, income tax return, pay stub)
- Information about assets, such as bank statements, stock certificates, life insurance policies, etc.

Each **ACTION** Initiative hosted by the four senior multipurpose facilities will provide information and counseling regarding community and senior center based services such as caregiver assistance and support group information, financial assistance referrals and adult daycare services. Information will also be available regarding senior multipurpose facility programs, neighborhood senior center locations and library services and information about health services such as flu shots, healthy brain screenings and other medical services.

ACTION Initiative participants can apply for community and centerbased services. Some application requirements are for seniors age 55 and older and some are for age 50 and older. Onsite counselors will provide guidelines for specific services. Applications must provide the following documentation:

- Proof of age
- Proof of Fulton County Residence
- Primary Care Physician information
- Release of Information for referrals